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14 January 1959

Hycan Mfg. Company  
Pasadena, California

Subject: Contract No. HTR-88

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your letter dated 17 December 1954, LN-454, regarding assignment of a Field Service Engineer.

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You are hereby authorized to assign [redacted] as a Senior Field Service Engineer at Del Rio, Texas on or before 15 January 1959. [redacted] is to replace [redacted] who will depart from Del Rio on or about 15 December 1950.

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Contract No. HTR-88 is on a yearly basis. It was the intent and our understanding that transportation should be paid by the Government on the basis of one round trip per man per year of service rendered. If less than one year of service, we would pay transportation costs only if we no longer had a need for the man. Our letter dated 2 September 1958, DP3-3684, and your reply of 21 October 1958, LN-373, discussed transportation charges regarding [redacted]

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This matter has been discussed with [redacted] and our unanimous opinion is that the Government should be responsible for [redacted] return trip to Pasadena and [redacted] original trip to Laughlin, at Del Rio, Texas. [redacted] was assigned on an interim basis until you could fulfill your responsibility of replacing [redacted]

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It is true that [redacted] was recalled by you to fulfill a requirement of the Project. However, your responsibility under each contract is to furnish qualified individuals the estimated number of which was known by you.

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In view of the above, it is felt that the Government cannot reimburse you for transportation charges for a round trip for [redacted] and a one way trip for [redacted]

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Very truly yours,

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- 2 - HTR-88 (A&I) w/DPD-0239-59
- 3 - [redacted]
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Contracting Officer

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